**Ms. OK’s Test Retake Policy**

AP Biology, 2014-2015

**Who CAN retake the test?**

Regardless of original test score, all students are eligible to retake the test. Only students who have turned in their completed notes analysis worksheets, DBA reviews, and must knows (i.e. the “Unit Packet”) on the date of the original test will be allowed to retake the test.

**Who MUST retake the test?**

Students who score below a 70% on the multiple choice section of the original test MUST retake all sections of the test. If ANY student has not completed the Unit Packet by the date of the original test, he/she will be required to come in and complete the components of the Unit Packet after school with Ms. OK on a Tuesday or Thursday prior to the retake test dates. Students who score above a 70% have the option to retake some or all of the test sections.

**Will the retake test be the same as the original test?**

Only multiple choice sections can be retaken. There will be the same number of multiple choice questions as the original test, but the questions will be different (though they assess the same content).

**How much time will I have to complete the test retake?**

You will have the same amount of time to complete the test retake as you did the original test (1.3 minutes per multiple choice question). These time requirements are based on the time requirements for the College Board AP Biology Exam.

**When will the test retake be offered?**

The test retake will be offered on one Tuesday and one Thursday. Students who are required to retake the test will be assigned an administrative detention if they do not attend one of the retake days.

**How many times can I retake the test?**

You can only retake the test once.

**What if my score on the retake test is lower than my score on the original test?**

No matter what, the retake test score will be the score recorded in the grade book.

**Can I see a sample retake schedule?**

Yes, of course you can ☺ Sample schedules based on the original test date are given below.

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|  | **Option 1** | **Option 2** |
| Original Test Date | Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday (Week 1) | Thursday or Friday (Week 1) |
| Mandatory Work Day for Students who have not completed the Unit Packet AND Scored Below a 70% on the Original Test | Tuesday or Thursday (Week 2) | Thursday (Week 2) or Tuesday (Week 3) |
| Retake Dates | Tuesday or Thursday (Week 3) | Thursday (Week 3) or Tuesday (Week 4) |

**Can DBA grades be replaced by retake test grades?**

DBA grades can only be replaced by test section scores from the ORIGINAL test, not the retake test.